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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Applicant(s)** : Atsushi OKUYAMA et al.  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R §1.312**

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Sir:

A Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due dated April 22, 2005, with an accompanying Notice of Allowability, was issued in the above-identified patent application. The Issue Fee, due on July 22, 2005, is being paid concurrently herewith. This amendment under 37 C.F.R. §1.312 has been submitted with the payment of the issue fee of the above-referenced case. Accordingly, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the amendment, for the reasons set forth herein.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 9 of this paper.